

## THE GAZETTE.

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 14.

### A REBUKE TO HENRY GEORGE AND GROVER CLEVELAND.

Henry George says that the poor are growing poorer, while the rich are rolling in wealth, and growing richer and more oppressive. Grover Cleveland says that while the citizen is struggling far in the rear or is trampled to death beneath an iron heel, the corporations are fast becoming the people's masters. Both Henry George and Grover Cleveland are demagogues.

There are thousands of illustrations that go to prove that there is success in this country for every man who keeps his health and is industrious and sober. One of them is related by the American Grocer: "Ten years ago a German landed at Castle Garden with \$1.50 in his pocket. The first job he could get was in the hot atmosphere of a sugar refinery, which his fleshiness soon compelled him to abandon, and he went to work for \$2 a week and his boss in New Jersey. After six weeks as man of all work, he started to learn the hat-making trade, and soon became expert as a hatter. He invested \$2 in a book on hat-making, and spent his spare time studying the secrets of manufacturing. He soon became proficient as a workingman, and upon the discharge of the foreman was placed in charge of the shop. He gave a portion to his wife, and the two, living upon five dollars per week, saved the balance of their united salaries, and thus acquired sufficient capital to start a small grocery store in a small manufacturing city in New Jersey, where there were many Germans. He had at the start \$800, and, after seven years' labor, is now the owner of considerable real estate and a well-stocked store, doing a business of about \$15,000 per annum."

But here is another case of a young man who has made a success of himself. Three years ago last summer a young Irishman and his wife landed in this country, and after spending a few weeks in New York, came to Wisconsin. They were poor, but honest, industrious, in good health, and wanted work. They made application at one of the state institutions, and promised to do anything that might be demanded of them, do it well and would not complain of the wages. They were given employment. Both proved efficient. What they had to do they did with all their might. The young husband rapidly earned promotion, and to-day he occupies a responsible position at a good salary.

We have in our mind another young man whose success is as marked as that of the German named by the American Grocer. It was only a few years ago that a young foreigner began working at the state penitentiary in the beautiful town of southern Wisconsin. Health, honesty, economy and industry were his weapons. In less than six years he was able to buy out the man for whom he worked, and to-day he has a handsome shop, with a plate front, and with all the appointments of a first class store. He has saved from his earnings not less than \$8,000 during the past few years. He didn't puzzle his head or spend his breath in denouncing capital. He worked like a man, and saved his money like an intelligent, enterprising business man would, and now he has capital both in property and in integrity. Some of the largest farmers in Wisconsin are Scandinavians, who settled in the state with barely money enough to support them a month without work.

Success is always at hand for those who are willing to pay the price for it, and the price is not out of the reach of the average workingman.

### "BOWIE-KNIFE" POTTER RE- JUVENES.

The Hon. John F. Potter, of Walworth county, who represented the First district in congress for three terms, from 1877 to 1882, and who, on account of his famous response to the challenge of Roger A. Pryor, of Virginia, came to be designated as "Bowie-Knife Potter," still resides on his beautiful farm at East Troy, on the banks of Potter's lake. Writing to a friend recently he says:

"My health is better than it has been for the last four or five years, but I am not yet rugged, and I suppose I have no right to hope to be again. I am at least 100 percent better since the election of Harrison. It was a most happy event. I hope our party will have learned some wisdom from our former misfortune, and will diverge to cut the government for many years to come."

Mr. Potter is now 72 years old. He was one of the most fearless men that ever served in congress. During his first term there were exciting terms in the house. The southern people were domineering, de-bauched and proud. They boasted of slavery, and defied the republican members. Roger A. Pryor, of Virginia, was especially insolent and overbearing towards the republicans. When a good deal of this kind of talk had been published by the southern fire-eaters, Mr. Potter said, "We listened to them gently and bear them through, and now sir, this side shall be heard, let the consequences be what they may." This brought a challenge from Pryor, and Mr. Potter had the right to choose weapons, and quickly named the bowie knife. He then set to work to get up a room alone. Pryor would "puttle for him," but Potter was firm, and the southern brag died to meet the fearless man from Wisconsin. This course of Mr. Potter's made him famous. He had conquered the arrogance of the slave power. The Missouri delegates to the republican national convention of 1860, presented him with a bowie knife seven feet long, with a beautiful ebony handle. One side was engraved, "Presented to John F. Potter, of Wisconsin, by the republicans of Missouri, 1860." On the reverse side was, "Will always meet a Fryor cut gambler." General Frank P. Blair made the presentation speech.

## TO ANNEX CANADA.

Mr. Butterworth Presents His Plan to the House.

### FULL TEXT OF HIS RESOLUTIONS.

Provision for a Commission to Locate British Representatives—Leading Canadian Fictitious the Proposition.

### NEGOTIATIONS INVITED.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 14.—Mr. Butterworth (O.) introduced in the House at the morning session a joint resolution authorizing the President to negotiate with reference to the unity and assimilation with the United States of the Dominion of Canada, or one or more provinces thereof. It is as follows:

Resolved, That the citizens of the Dominion of Canada are one with us in race, language, history and tradition; and

Whereas, The resources of the two countries supplement each other and the arteries of commerce, both natural and artificial, are so interlarded and mutually dependent upon each other that they ought to constitute a single system, to be one and inseparable; and

Whereas, The commercial relations between the United States and the Dominion of Canada are so intimate and so extensive, and so essential to the welfare of both countries, that it is deemed expedient to invite the attention of the President to the necessity of meeting the requirements of the situation; and

Whereas, The conditions and relations between the two countries, as well as the geography of the two countries, suggest the possibility of a just and permanent settlement of the various questions pertaining to the fisheries, boundaries and trans-continental trade, except by blending of efforts and interests under one governmental system, and proceeding logically to the necessary and probable of a unity and assimilation between the two nations under one government; and

Whereas, Two bonds of sympathy resulting from kinship, race, language, tradition and substantial identity of governmental systems, together with community of interests, and common commerce and the aids and agencies, are of such a character that such union and assimilation is being discussed and seriously considered by the citizens of both nations; and inasmuch as it is believed that the early consummation would be of great advantage to all the citizens and subjects of the two countries, provided the same can be attained in a manner consistent with the honor and dignity of the United States and Great Britain and the Dominion of Canada;

Therefore with a view to all in the consummation of what is heretofore suggested,

Resolved, By the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States, in Congress assembled, that the President be, and he is hereby authorized and empowered to invite negotiations looking to the assimilation and unity of the people of the Dominion of Canada and the United States, under one government; such unity and assimilation to be based upon the admission of the several provinces of the Dominion, or any one of them, into the union of the States, upon the same terms and equality with the several States composing the Union, and the assimilation by the United States of the individuals of the Dominion of Canada, or a just proportion thereof, and such other equitable terms and conditions as justice to the high contracting parties may demand; and

Resolved, Further, with a view to such negotiation, the President be, and he is hereby authorized and empowered to appoint a commission, by the Government of Great Britain and the Dominion of Canada to consider the wisdom and expediency of settling and adjusting all controversies and matters which may exist between the two Governments growing out of the fisheries or otherwise, by such a union and assimilation as heretofore suggested, either as to the whole or any province, or several provinces of said Dominion, such negotiations to be conducted with due regard to the applicable relations which exist between Great Britain and the United States, and the obligations imposed thereby.

The resolution was referred to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

OTTAWA, Ont., Dec. 14.—Sir Hector Langevin, Minister of Public Works, laughs at the Butterworth annexation resolution introduced in Congress and says it is a good joke. He declares that no public man in Canada dares come out openly in favor of such a scheme, and says that a conspiracy in the Dominion would elect such a commercial-unionist, much less an annexationist. The French Canadians, he added, were very bitter against annexation.

Hon. Mackenzie Bowell, Minister of Customs, says the matter is too absurd to even refer to. There is no annexation sentiment in Canada beyond a few fellows who have nothing to do with the matter and who are merely by accident a movement which finds no sympathy in the country; and, besides, the idea of the British Government or the Government of Canada assenting to a scheme of annexation, as suggested by Mr. Butterworth, is ridiculous in the extreme.

Major Chaplain, brother of the Secretary of State and master of the Dominion Court in Canada, says that there are thousands in the country who incline toward annexation, but are afraid to give expression to their convictions for fear of being regarded as disloyal.

### THE BIRMINGHAM TRAGEDY.

The Coroners Jury Begins Its Investigation—State Troops Leave the City and All is Quiet.

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., Dec. 14.—The State troops have all gone home and only a few deputy sheriffs are guarding the county jail. All excitement has passed away, and no apprehension is felt of any new outbreak. The coroners jury to investigate the shooting Saturday night met Thursday, and the session was continued in the examination of Mayor Thompson. He testified that he did not consider the crowd a mob, though many of them wanted to lynch Harvey.

Thompson said he thought twenty-five determined officers could have driven the crowd from the mouth of the alley leading to the jail without bloodshed, and says the officers fired first, and he could say whether any shots were fired by the crowd or not.

### HUNG ON FOR DEAR LIFE.

Exhausted Expectation of an English Nationalist and His Narrow Escape from Death.

LONDON, Dec. 14.—A man named Higgins assayed to imitate the feats of Balguy, the balloonist, at Sharnbrook, Thursday, with bad results. He ascended in a balloon to a height of 1,000 feet and jumped from the car, parachute in hand. The parachute broke from his grasp, and Higgins caught and clung to the netting of the balloon. His weight and position set the balloon to spinning around rapidly and the thousands of people assembled to witness his descent were for a few minutes forced to gaze at a really blood-curdling spectacle. Higgins kept blood-curdlingly steady, and finally descended to the ground at Enfield, sustaining only slight injury.

Six Killed.

PARIS, Dec. 14.—During a target practice on board a French iron-clad in the Gulf of Juan a French iron-clad and killed officer and five men.

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# The Holidays

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**FORCLOSURE SALE.**—William T. Vankirk, Plaintiff vs. Volney Atwood, Catherine A. Atwood his wife, Charles Atwood, S. Bol-dredge, Jr., P. B. Hopkins, R. H. Hopkins, Hol-lyburne, M. G. Jullien, S. L. Jans and Theodore Kundall, defendants.

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of and in pursuance of a judgment of foreclosure and sale rendered in the above entitled action on the 10th day of November 1897, in the court for Rock County, Wisconsin, in favor of the above named plaintiff and against the above named defendants, I will on Monday, the 1st day of December, 1898, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, sell at public auction, at the postoffice in the city of Janesville, in said county of Rock, offer for sale and sell at pub-lic auction to the highest bidder therefor, all the real estate and mortgaged premises situate in said county of Rock and state of Wis-consin as follows, to-wit: Parcel one, ground ar-ea twenty-seven (27), town thirty (3) range twelve (12) north of range 16 east of range 1 west and by said judgment directed to be sold, and therein described as follows, to-wit: The west half of the southeast quarter of sec-tion twenty-seven (27), town thirty (3) range twelve (12) north of range 16 east of range 1 west and by said judgment directed to be sold, and therein described as follows, to-wit:

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A black walnut, marble top, bed room set, also another lot of these beautiful Silver Oak, coal and wood heaters at Sanborn's store and furniture store, North Main Street.

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Boy's and children's suits at prices that will please you, at Zeigler's.  
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St. Mary's Fair at the Armory.  
—Knight Templar chorale in all sizes at A. F. Hall & Co's "the reliable jewellers."  
—Mrs. R. Brand, Linco street, fourth ward, is visiting a sister at Red Wing, Minnesota.  
—A O. U. W. social to-night at their lodge room in the Smith block, East Milwaukee street.  
—Bookford Gazette: E. J. Green, of Janesville, is now clerking in Wheelock's grocery store.  
—The Milwaukee street bridge appears to develop a weak spot a little east of the center, northside.

—The next dance of the Odd Fellows Social Club will be held at Odd Fellows Hall to-morrow evening.  
—A carload of coach horses has just been shipped by A. F. Phillips, of this city to parties in New York.  
—The advance sale of seats for the engagement of Robt. Downing opened this morning. Seats are selling well.

—W. H. Sargent Post No. 20, G. A. R., assemble in regular semi-monthly meeting this evening at Post hall.  
—Boys' watches of good quality are offered by S. O. Burbaum at \$2.50; watches of a better grade at four dollars.  
—How J. A. Blount has sold his stock of groceries in the store in Norcross street block, to F. W. Christman, the C. O. D. grocer.

—Mr. J. E. Gleason, of La Prairie, sold a Norman colt coming three years old to Mr. Theo. Nohk, of Oconomowoc. The price paid was \$500.  
—People's Lodge No. 400, Independent Order of Good Templars, assemble in regular weekly meeting this evening. Lodge room in the Court Street M. E. church block.

—Marrad—At 230 Revine street, in this city, by the Rev. Mr. Evans, on December 12th, Mr. Amos E. Correll, of Manchester, Ill., to Miss Mary E. Roth, of Tarrile, this county.  
—Fond du Lac Reporter: It is announced that the marriage of Miss Delia Marshall to Mr. Ed. Morlock, of Janesville, will take place at her home next Tuesday at 2 p. m.

—Among the latest railroad projects is that of an extension of the Wisconsin Central from Burlington to Madison by way of Janesville. This would give the Wisconsin Central a through line from Chicago to St. Paul.

—In silver cases and in child's sets—knots and spoons to match—A. F. Hall & Co., the reliable jewellers, have an endless variety noted and solid silver. The plated sets are put in neat satin lined boxes without extra charge.

—An interesting foot race between George Trewhitt, of Milton and some of the Janesville officers pleased Milwaukee street people last evening. The officers took part of backing Trewhitt for the hundred yard championship of the state.

—The warfare between members of the Helm family was revived in the circuit court to-day, Judge Bennett hearing testimony in the case of Warren Helm against Heber Helm. The plaintiff asks for \$1500 damages on a land contract.

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—People along the line of the water works extensions are wondering why nothing has been done towards laying pipe. The pipe has not even been brought to the city, and four months seems to be certainly all that could be asked for under the plea of a "reasonable length of time."

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—As many farmers will begin getting in their supplies of ice it is suggested that they follow the practice of the brewers in setting all cakes on edge instead of laying them down flat. This mode will allow the drip to run off without honey combing and destroying what lies below. Ice will last almost twice as long when it is put up this way. So says an exchange.

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—Paul Ludwig returned to Janesville this morning after a month's trip through the northern part of the state. He reports the Chicago Globe to be booming, and also insists that Milwaukee will have a morning democratic daily by the first of the year.

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ALL SOULS YOUNG PEOPLE.  
Emerson's Essay on "Boredom" Considered Last Evening.  
The Young People's Society of All Souls church, were entertained last evening by Misses Zelia and Ida Harris, at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Harris, South Jackson street. There was a good attendance of the young folk of the society, the topic under consideration being Emerson's essay on "Boredom." In answering roll call, members responded by sentiments from the essay.

Miss Jessie Loman read a very interesting paper giving an outline of the essay. Following this Bertha Reddyon, May Shephard, Ida Harris, Lou Minor and Grant Colvin gave selections from the essay which interested listeners. Mr. George Parker followed giving parallel passages from other authors which proved very interesting. The remainder of the evening was spent in social amusements, to the great enjoyment of those present.

The topic for the next meeting will be Emerson's essay on "The Over-Soul," after which an evening will be devoted to May Humphrey Ward's popular work "Robert Elmer." Four evenings will be devoted to the discussion of Ruskin. The first three will be devoted to "Modern Painters" and the last one to "Sesame and Lilies."

Notes on the Tuesday Evening's Entertainment at the Opera House.  
Tragedian, Robert Downing, who is starring under the management of Joseph E. Mack, as "Spartacus the Gladiator," will appear in this city on Tuesday evening.

It will be remembered with melancholy interest that this was the last play in which the late John McCullough appeared. Mr. Downing will be aided and abetted by new scenery and a very strong company. The scenery which Manager Mack has had painted by Vagtelius, is of such excellence as to excite pleasurable anticipations in regard to the work as a whole. Two of the drops are particularly admired. One represents a street in Rome, with triumphal arches standing out in bold relief. The other is a realistic view of a Roman military camp, with the Bay of Naples for a background, while in the distance Mount Vesuvius may be seen in a state of eruption. All of the spectacular features of the play are to be made most of, and historical accuracy is to be observed in the costumes and accessories. The arena scene will be made realistic by a genuine broad sword combat. The company includes the principal members of the late John McCullough and Salvini's company.

Points Picked up Among Local Trade Authorities.  
The trade in iron is reported to be unusually brisk.  
It is understood that the price of iron for the remainder of the summer will be advanced ten cents a hundred.  
Straw hats are expected to be very popular as appropriate Christmas gifts.  
The Pope's Springs management announce the tenting season to be nearly ended.

A full line of spraying nozzles for use in sprinkling lawns is offered by local hardware men.  
Wet cabbage leaves placed in the crown of the hat are recommended by physicians as a remedy for sunstrokes.  
Many pretty novelties in sun shades are being shown on the street.

TINNY GAS LAMP.  
The gas furnished the city of San Antonio is of a very inferior quality, and consequently the streets are very poorly lighted, but the street lamps are allowed to burn until after daylight. A stranger asked a prominent druggist:  
"Why do the gas lights burn all night in this town?"  
"Because gas leaks lights are so small that day was afraid to go out and see it was dark."—Texas Siftings.

INTERESTING PARAGRAPHS.  
The fifth extracted from Special Telegrams on a Variety of Subjects.  
Richmond, Va., Dec.